

**Form 16D. CAPTION FOR USE IN ADVERSARY PROCEEDING**

United States Bankruptcy Court

\_\_\_\_\_ District Of \_\_\_\_\_

In re _____,	)	
<i>Debtor</i>	)	Case No. _____
	)	
	)	
_____,	)	Chapter _____
<i>Plaintiff</i>	)	
	)	
	)	
	)	
_____,	)	Adv. Proc. No. _____
<i>Defendant</i>	)	

**COMPLAINT** [*or* other Designation]

[If in a Notice of Appeal (see Form 17) or other notice filed and served by a debtor, this caption must be altered to include the debtor's address and Employer's Tax Identification Number(s) or last four digits of Social Security Number(s) as in Form 16A.]

2004 COMMITTEE NOTE

The form is amended to reflect the 2003 abrogation of Form 16C. As a complaint initiating an adversary proceeding serves as a notice to the defendant of the filing of an action, a debtor filing an adversary proceeding must follow the notice requirements of § 342(c) of the Code. To protect individual privacy a debtor should use the defendant's copy of the summons to be served with the complaint to provide the information required by § 342(c) to any creditor named as a defendant.